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THE WORLD'S FAIR ENDED AT MIDNIGHT

A Scene of Grandeur Was Its Fading Into a Memory.

St. Louis, Dec. 2.—The Louisiana Purchase exposition has ended. The stupendous and magnificent exposition has run its course and now passes into history as probably having comprised the most representative collection of resources, industries, art, peoples and customs of the world ever assembled.

From the inception of the project to hold an exposition to fittingly commemorate the hundredth anniversary of the purchase of the Louisiana territory until the portals were thrown open and the world invited to enter and enjoy the completed exhibition of the world's life, occupied seven years. The duration of the exposition has been seven months, and during that time nothing has occurred to throw a dampening effect on the interest or to detract from the exposition in any way. The man probably most prominently known in connection with the world's fair is the president, David R. Francis, and it was deemed as fitting that the final day should be designated as "Francis day" in his honor.

Closing exercises were held at the base of the Louisiana Purchase monument in the plaza of St. Louis where were held seven months ago exercises that formally opened the gates to the world. The principal speeches were delivered by Governor Dockery of Missouri, and President Francis.

Governor Dockery paid tribute to President Roosevelt for his kindly feeling expressed toward the exposition; to the state of Missouri and to St. Louis for their hospitality and

enterprise. As night drew on throngs concentrated in the main avenues to view for the last time the magnificent electric illumination.

Steadily the white electric bulbs silhouetted the exhibit palaces against the night, periodically illuminating the terrace of states surrounding festival hill changing from white to red, then to green, and then back to white. Over on agricultural hill the great floral clock ticked off the minutes of the departing pageant. And in the night rang out the tones of the massive bell as the midnight hour was worked by the great clock. Instantly a hush pervaded the entire grounds. The glowing electric bulbs slowly began diminishing, the pulsations of the great engines that drove the Cascades gradually died down.

The light faded steadily, diminishing until but a faint glow was perceptible. Suddenly there was darkness and the Louisiana Purchase Exposition had passed into the chronicles of history.

Total Attendance.

St. Louis, Dec. 2.—Secretary Stevens estimates the total attendance of the exposition at 18,800,000. The company expended \$22,000,000 and the states and territories \$9,000,000. Receipts from admissions and concession royalties, \$10,000,000. It is authoritatively announced that all debts have been paid except a few current accounts and these will probably consume nearly all the surplus. It is believed the concessionaires took in at least \$10,000,000.

REPUBLICANS WILL NOT REVISE TARIFF

This is the Policy Indicated by Senator Fairbanks.

Addressed an Immense Crowd at Boston—Other Speakers.

PRESIDENT SENT REGRETS

Boston, Mass., Dec. 2.—Before an audience of more than 3,000 people, Vice President-elect Fairbanks, defined the attitude of the Republican administration on the tariff question at the annual banquet of the Home Market club in Mechanics' Hall last night.

Among other guests were Governor John L. Bates of Massachusetts, Former Secretary of the Navy John D. Long, Dr. W. H. Montague of Toronto, a privy councillor of the Dominion of Canada, and Governor-elect Henry Roberts of Connecticut. The speakers were Senator Fairbanks, Governor Bates, Secretary Long and Dr. Montague.

Former Congressman Davis of Fall River, president of the club, as toastmaster made the opening address and in referring to the principles of a protective tariff which is fostered by the Home Market club, said leading members of the national house of representatives and senate would soon confer with the administration on the subject of tariff revision. Telegrams of regret at not being able to be present were received from President Roosevelt and the mass of senators.

The policy outlined by Senator Fairbanks was that the Republican party would stand pat on the tariff. He showed what protection has done for this country and said that the result of the last election showed what the people thought about it, and that they wanted the great policies of the Republican party maintained in the future, as they have been in the past.

The regiment of which the baby carevitch is colonel has left for the front.

OPEN AGAIN

Oberlin Bank Ready for Business.

It is Rumored Mrs. Chadwick Will Pay Cold Cash.

Oberlin, O., Dec. 2.—The doors of the Citizens' National bank opened this morning for the first time since closing Saturday night. The report of the examiner has been made but the announcement is made that the report will not be made public. Bank opened to allow any who had notes there to pay them, but very few called.

To Pay Cash.

New York, Dec. 2.—George Ryall, local counsel for Herbert D. Newton, states that the settlement agreed upon with Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick of Cleveland, is for the payment in cash of Newton's entire claim. The payment, he said, is to be made either this week or early next week.

PAID BET.

Paducah Man Lost and Entertained His Friend.

A wager, which involved the payment by the loser of a fine spread, was paid Wednesday night by Mr. John Dunlap, the Paducah contractor, who constructed for Dr. W. I. Griffith, the building occupied by the Fields-Warren Grocery company, to Mr. Richard Jones and party of friends, says the Cairo Bulletin. The terms of the bet were that Mr. Dunlap would have the building completed within a certain time. He failed and of course paid the bet. The spread was served at the Tri-State restaurant and consisted of all the good things that can tempt the appetite of an epicure.

GEN. MILES

May Become Adjutant General of Massachusetts.

Boston, Dec. 2.—Lieut. Gen. Nelson Miles, retired, may be adjutant general of Massachusetts in the administration of Governor Douglas. The place has been offered the general, but he is not yet prepared to say whether or not he will accept.

MR. H. C. BRONAUGH DIED LAST NIGHT

Popular Young Paducahan Victim of Pneumonia.

Became Ill Two Weeks Ago at Newton, Ill.—Had Lived Here Fourteen Years.

BURIAL BY THE ELKS SUNDAY

Mr. Hart C. Bronaugh, one of Paducah's most popular young men, died last night at Newton, Ill., from a severe case of typhoid pneumonia, after an illness of two weeks. His brother-in-law, Mr. James English, who returned only yesterday morning from his bedside, received a telegram this morning announcing Mr. Bronaugh's death, and left at noon to bring the remains to Paducah for burial.

The death of no young man of Paducah ever caused more genuine regret and sorrow than that of Mr. Bronaugh, who was in the prime of life, genial, full of energy and good will towards his fellow man, and a man whose friends were innumerable.

He went in from a hunting trip two weeks ago today at Newton, Illinois, intending to spend Sunday there, when he became ill. His condition gradually became worse until his wife was summoned a week ago. He did not improve, and early this week Mr. English was called, and took Dr. J. D. Robertson with him.

Everything possible was done for him, and while his relatives and friends did not cease to hope, the physicians said he had "only a fighting chance," as the malady affected both lungs, and the patient's constitution had been weakened by a previous illness from which he had just a short time before recovered.

His friends in Paducah, however, had been led to hope for recovery, and his death was a blow to them. Mr. Bronaugh came to Paducah about fifteen years ago. He was born and reared in Christian county, near Pembroke, Ky., and received a good education.

Fourteen years ago he came to Paducah and went into the vinegar business with Mr. Abe Livingston. He subsequently engaged in the same business with his brother-in-law, Mr. J. E. English, and later sold out and opened a sporting goods establishment on Broadway.

He was a fine shot, and won many amateur championships with his gun, so many that the Winchester Arms company, always on the lookout for good men, employed him to travel about to various gun club shoots in the country and represent them. He had for over a year been a success of it, and had been away attending a shoot and hunting when a fatal illness overtook him.

Mr. Bronaugh was several years ago married to Mrs. Lillie Hopkins, of Paducah, and leaves here besides his wife a stepdaughter, Miss Monima Hopkins. He has a mother and two sisters in New Mexico, and a number of relatives in Christian county.

Mr. J. E. English, who left at noon for Newton to bring the remains to Paducah, will make the funeral arrangements as soon as he can ascertain what time he can reach the city.

Mr. Bronaugh was a popular member of Paducah Lodge, No. 217, B. P. O. E., and will be buried under their auspices. It is believed that the body cannot be brought here before Saturday night or Sunday morning.

The funeral will take place at 10 o'clock Sunday morning from the residence of the brother-in-law of the deceased, Mr. Fred Rudy, on Fountain avenue, burial at Oak Grove cemetery.

COLD WAVE COMING.

Get Out Your Overcoats in the Ohio Valley.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 2.—A cold wave is predicted by the weather bureau, and the temperature will fall decidedly in the Ohio Valley.

Died of Apoplexy.

Vienna, Dec. 2.—Count Capnist, the Russian ambassador here, died suddenly today from apoplexy.

THE "FOOL KILLER" DID ITS WORK WELL

Man Who Started Across Lake in Boat Perished.

Body Was Found on the Beach—Must Have Suffered Agonies.

REALIZED HE WAS DOOMED

Stevensville, Mich., Dec. 2.—Peter Nissen, who started across Lake Michigan in his boat, called the "Foolkiller No. 3," was found dead on the beach two miles and a half west of here yesterday.

Nissen is supposed to have been washed ashore during the night. His "Foolkiller" was 20 rods down the beach from his body and was considerably damaged.

A life preserver and his overcoat were fastened to a basket-shaped car in the boat. The body was brought to Stevensville. The hands and face are frozen and the features reflect his suffering. The clothing on the body was somewhat torn. It is thought that Nissen could not have been dead a great while when the body was found. The body was found by Mrs. Collier, who lives on a farm near the lake shore.

When the wrecked aquatic balloon was examined one of Nissen's business cards was found on the back of which was a note from the dead adventurer saying the air hose upon which was depended to renew the supply of air had broken and that he was doomed to die of suffocation.

William Fuller, a farmer, says the balloon boat was being driven toward shore about 4 p. m. yesterday, three miles south of the place where Nissen's body was found.

It is believed Nissen was alive when his boat first touched the eastern shore.

ALL SAVED

Miners Impirsoned Near Springfield, Ill Rescued.

The Top Works Destroyed By Fire Last Night.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 2.—After having been imprisoned for hours in a burning mine fourteen men were rescued early this morning from the shaft of the Woodside Coal Co. The top works were totally destroyed, the flames spreading to the workings below.

The works are located south of Springfield.

At midnight of the twenty-four men who were in the shaft ten had been rescued. The remainder were in the east shaft until morning.

Eighteen mules were suffocated.

Killed By Train.

Chicago, Dec. 2.—A patrol wagon of the stock yards police station was run down last night by a train on the Chicago Junction railway. Three men were injured, one Louis Reinhardt, driver, will probably die.

When the train struck the wagon Reinhardt was thrown fully seventy-five feet, and fell with his right leg across the track. The engine passed over the limb, cutting it off.

MORE FIRING.

Effort Made to Destroy Pumping Station.

Zeigler, Dec. 2.—Considerable firing, presumably by striking miners or their sympathizers, occurred last night at the operations of the entire plant. To cripple it would not only stop mining, but submerge the town in darkness, as well. Guards and marshals responded to the firing.

Still Improves.

Dr. Robert Rivers received a telegram this morning from Leavenworth, Kan., saying that his brother, Tom Rivers, who was shot there several days ago, is better and not thought to be seriously injured.

TWO MURDERERS-- DOUBLE SUICIDE

Two Couples in Different States Died Alike.

A Deputy United States Marshal Shot From Ambush in Louisiana.

HUNTER KILLED BY FARMER

Joplin, Mo., Dec. 2.—R. H. Jackson, aged 45, fatally shot his wife and committed suicide. The woman was shot and then beaten over the head with the pistol. Jackson cut his throat with a pen knife. The couple had lived unhappily.

A Double Tragedy.

Iola, Kas., Dec. 2.—Mrs. Jennie Johnson and James Williams were found dead at the home of the former here. The woman, who is a widow, had two bullet wounds in her head, and Williams' throat was cut. Officers say Williams killed the woman and himself. They had quarreled.

Federal Officer Killed.

Monroe, La., Dec. 2.—Deputy United States Marshal Pope was shot and killed last evening near his home at Trenton by an unknown man who fired from behind a tree. Several months ago Pope, it is said, was warned to leave the parish under penalty of death for activity in a peonage case.

Shot At Hunters.

St. Louis, Dec. 2.—While hunting with William Daly south of Clayton today, Wilson Ingaman, aged 19, was shot and killed.

Investigation by the police revealed that Daly and his companion were fired upon by farmers, who alleged the hunters were trespassing on their property. A dozen or more shots were exchanged.

OUT OF MATERIAL

And the Spreading of Bitulithic Compound Has Stopped.

Contractor Robertson to Start Work on Second street Monday.

The work of spreading the bitulithic coat on Broadway has been stopped because the contractors have run out of material.

Another consignment of the substance is expected at once, and will be put down as soon as it gets here. No trouble in securing the compound was anticipated, and the delay is accepted with regret by the contractors.

Contractor Charles Robertson who has the contract for laying the brick between the car tracks, on Broadway, has not started yet because of a delay to one class of brick to be used. This is the square block which goes between the tracks. The border brick are here, but the other kind is yet to come.

Contractor Robertson will also start work on the Kentucky avenue sewer from First to Second street from Broadway to Kentucky avenue. He says he will pay no attention to the petition circulated by storekeepers on that street for him to wait until after the holidays.

The concrete foundation for the Broadway reconstruction will be completed by tomorrow, leaving only the laying of the bitulithic compound.

The Second street merchants are very indignant over the prospect of having their Christmas trade impaired, possibly ruined, by having the street torn up now, when the city has had all summer in which to do it. They have presented a petition to the board of public works, asking that work be postponed until after the holidays, and Secretary Fowler stated today that the board would take up the matter at once.

Servian Cabinet Resigned.

Belgrade, Dec. 2.—Members of the cabinet handed in their resignations to King Peter today.

JAPS LOSE 15,000 MEN IN FINAL ASSAULTS

All But Inner Forts at Port Arthur Reported Captured.

Tokio, Dec. 2.—It is reported the Russians attempted to retake "203 Meter Hill," but were repulsed with heavy loss. It is also reported that Gen. Stoessel, in command of the Russian forces at Port Arthur, is fortifying the heights between Liaotshan and Xantushan, increasing the belief here that the last stand of the Russians will be made there.

Russian Ships Pass.

Island of Perim, Dec. 2.—Four Russian warships were sighted this morning passing southward toward the Indian Ocean.

Only a Few Holding Out.

London, Dec. 2.—A dispatch from Rome, received at the Japanese legation today states that only the interior forts of Port Arthur are now holding out against the Japanese. The town and docks, the dispatch adds, have been abandoned by Russians as they are at the mercy of the Japanese cannonade.

More Skirmishing.

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UNDERTAKERS WERE SURPRISED TODAY

Papers Served on Them for Indictment Found.

Popular Men Say There Was Spite Work—Shallow Graves Alleged.

BURIED ONLY SIX THIS YEAR

It developed today that Undertakers Frank Effinger and Fred Roth and their assistant, Pat Huby, were indicted by the last grand jury for alleged nuisance in failing to bury bodies deep enough in the county graveyard.

Deputy Sheriff Lydon served bench warrants on Messrs. Effinger and Roth, who gave bond for their appearance at the circuit court next week, but Mr. Huby was out with a funeral and was not found. It was not known until yesterday that the indictments were returned, although they were found in September.

Messrs. Roth and Huby yesterday went up to the county graveyard and measured the graves of those they had buried there this year, six in number, and found them, they declare, to all be the proper depth, and undisturbed. They have buried but six bodies in the county graveyard this year, while other undertakers, they assert, have buried ten times more. In fact, they have had practically none of the pauper business.

It was stated by friends of the undertakers, who are among the best known and most popular men in town, and about whom it is known the statement that bodies were buried by them in shallow graves is untrue, that Messrs. Effinger and Roth will expose the causes that led to the indictment. It is said that it was the result of spite work and will be so shown when the case comes to trial.

The county is said to keep its graveyard in a deplorable condition.

right between villages of Chjantan and Syaokchen, the latter place being occupied by Russian troops. Several companies of Japanese, with cavalry, taking advantage of the night, tried to cut Russian communication in this direction, but border scouts routed the Japanese.

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This morning the remains of C. Cates were buried at the county graveyard, and those who attended state that it was a most revolting sight—that the county's graveyard is filled with stray swine rooting around the graves.

The fences are down, it is said, and the hogs at all times have free access to the burying ground. It has been claimed a number of times that bodies had been rooted up and partly devoured, but always denied.

Lately none of the local undertakers have been burying bodies in the county graveyard. Several months ago they decided to bury no more at the county's rate, which at the time stirred up quite a controversy. It is claimed that none of the white undertakers have since the quarrel with the county buried paupers except in one instance.

Today a daughter of the man buried in the county graveyard was almost thrown into hysterics by the spectacle of hogs rooting about the graves, and her screams could be heard for a long distance.

LEAGUE MEETING

The following from the Cairo Bulletin indicates that Secretary Farnbaker, of the K. I. T. league, will call a meeting for Paducah Dec. 11:

"There will probably be a meeting of representatives of Paducah, Cairo and Vincennes and the league secretary held in Paducah Sunday, Dec. 11, to discuss league affairs previous to the annual meeting."

TODAY'S MARKETS

	Open.	Closed.
Wheat—		
Dec.,	1.08 1/2	1.09 1/2
May,	1.09 1/2	1.10 1/2
Corn—		
Dec.,	48 1/2	48 1/2
May,	45 1/2	45 1/2
Oats—		
Dec.,	29	29 1/2
May,	31 1/2	31 1/2
Pork—		
Jan.,	12.87	12.97
Cotton—		
Dec.,	8.57	8.47
Jan.,	8.65	8.56
Mar.,	8.83	8.72
May,	8.92	8.85
Stocks—		
I. C.,	1.58 1/2	1.57 1/2
L. & N.,	1.41 1/2	1.47 1/2